

REMARKS

Claims 1-4 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, Applicants amend claims 1 and 3. Applicants respectfully request prompt allowance of the pending claims at least in light of the following remarks.

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Quayle Action's indication that claims 1-4 are allowed. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.116(b)(1), Applicants amend claims 1 and 3 to address the formal matters identified in the Quayle Action. Accordingly, the application is in condition for allowance.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, Applicants invite the Examiner to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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